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DNA molecule, wherein said fragment of a trait DNA molecule and said silencer DNA molecule are heterologous to each other and collectively impart the trait to plants transformed with said DNA construct and wherein said fragment of a trait DNA molecule and said silencer DNA molecule are heterologous to plants;

a single promoter sequence which effects transcription of both the fragment of a trait DNA molecule and the silencer DNA molecule; and

a single termination sequence which ends transcription of both the fragment of a trait DNA molecule and the silencer DNA molecule.

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C004.
2. (Twice Amended) The DNA construct according to claim 1, wherein said DNA construct comprises:

a plurality of different trait DNA molecules operatively positioned within said DNA construct so that said single promoter sequence and said single termination sequence, respectively, effect transcription and end transcription of said plurality of different trait DNA molecules.

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20. (Twice Amended) The DNA construct according to claim 1, wherein said construct effects post-transcriptional gene silencing of the fragment of trait DNA molecule within plants.

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24. (Twice Amended) The DNA expression vector according to claim 23, wherein said DNA construct comprises a plurality of different trait DNA molecules operatively positioned within said DNA construct so that said single promoter sequence and said single termination sequence, respectively, effect transcription and end transcription of said plurality of different trait DNA molecules.

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28. (Twice Amended) The host cell according to claim 27, wherein said DNA construct comprises a plurality of different trait DNA molecules operatively positioned within said DNA construct so that said single promoter sequence and said single termination sequence, respectively, effect transcription and end transcription of said plurality of different trait DNA molecules.

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33. (Twice Amended) The transgenic plant according to claim 32, wherein said DNA construct comprises a plurality of different trait DNA molecules

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operatively positioned within said DNA construct so that said single promoter sequence and said single termination sequence, respectively, effect transcription and end transcription of said plurality of different trait DNA molecules.

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47. (Twice Amended) The method according to claim 46, wherein said DNA construct comprises a plurality of different trait DNA molecules operatively positioned within said DNA construct so that said single promoter sequence and said single termination sequence, respectively, effect transcription and end transcription of said plurality of different trait DNA molecules.

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57. (Twice Amended) The method according to claim 47 further comprising:
propagating progeny of the plants transformed with said DNA construct.

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59. (Twice Amended) The transgenic plant seed according to claim 58, wherein said DNA construct comprises a plurality of different trait DNA molecules operatively positioned within said DNA construct so that said single promoter sequence and said single termination sequence, respectively, effect transcription and end transcription of said plurality of different trait DNA molecules.

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71. (Twice Amended) The method according to claim 70, wherein said DNA construct comprises a plurality of different trait DNA molecules operatively positioned within said DNA construct so that said single promoter sequence and said single termination sequence, respectively, effect transcription and end transcription of said plurality of different trait DNA molecules.

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81. (Twice Amended) The method according to claim 71 further comprising:
propagating progeny of the plants transformed with said DNA construct.